TWENTY-FIFTH YEAR.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1894.

PRICE, FIVE CENTS.

& Historic Moment in the Life of and a proper answer sent to the English Pierre Stuyvesnat Van Twiller

Pierre Stuyvesant Van Twiller Brown took the front steps in two bounds, pressed the electric bell with his knuckes and said, as the door was opened. "When Legs comes in, tell him I'm in the library."

the library."

It was New Year's Eve, and already growing dusk. The freakish shadows of the fire lighted into strong relief the picturesque face of old Peter Stayvesant, of illustrious memory and Pierre's far away stream. As Pierre looked at it with utter lack of interest, he said, consemptuously: "What an old duffer! Why doesn't Legs come?"

They were to recovered to he bull team.

doesn't Legs come?"
They were to reorganize the ball team before the New Year's party began, and Pierre was auxious. Just as he was most impatient, he began to recall little Bettje Beekman's face at the last New Year's party, when he told how his grandfather had compered the Swedes on the Brandgwine, and made them Dutch subjects. Bettje's hazel eyes shone



STEVENSON'S START TO SAMOA.

Graphic Account by a Friend Who Helped Him Off.

HIS APPEARANCE AND TALK

HOW HE CAME ABOARD THE YACHT

Pride of the Samoans in Him-His Search For Health in the South Seas-His Engerness For Information-His Craze For Cigarettes-Wanderings Among the South Sea

[By William Churchill.]

[Copyright, 1894, by S. S. McClure. Limited.1

honors than to be first of the romanc-ers in the English tongue; he carned a like reward for his art in still another like reward for his art in still another speech, eminence among a nation of tellers of stories. He was acknowledged by all Samoa, where his last and by no means his least happy and fruitful years were spent, to be Tustrala, the teller of stories. It is no light honor, it is not so easily won; a man must have tales to tell, any wherewith to make the telling notable, before he can win the approval of these Sameans as they sit in the evening circles in the cool trade breezes and judge of romances as the hospitable eigarette passes from lip to lip.

to lip. Pride of the Samoans.

Figure 1 was saver came straight from the parallel form the parallel the team, he glanced up at the old outside the first the control of the first the first

As a particular of the plane reference of the perfect content of the

man with the blankets and counter-panes hunched up about him, it was an impression of flowing black hair, keen eyes and a wonderful interlacing

that morning. On the bill slopes outside the fort their horses were grazing, and leed off irregularly in the weather the contract of the contr

own line, and a general supervision of the whole affair, which was to be opborne's share in the entertainment. This plan was reluctantly laid aside

MADE A BIG DIFFERENCE. "My father, sir," said the young

periences, as every one must who chooses a trading schooner for passage along the line in the Pacific. If there is any objurgation of the cockroach in any of Stevenson's South Sea tales, as indeed there is, it is all founded on this experience in the island trader, pulling out a notebook.
"Yes, sir, and— But what are you putting down there?"

Cloaks, Carpets. and Millinery. Everything Cut and Slashed Four

May It Please The Ladies.

GRAND FOUR DAYS

Continuation of the GREAT MARK DOWN Sale. The Parcel Sale was an over-whelming success, 19,000 parcels being sold, but the Mark Down Sale was the feature of the Season. When the doors were thrown open at 1:30, Wednesday, Dec, 26th, a perfect stream of Buyers flooded the Big Stroe from Wed. 1:30 p. m., till Saturday night 10:45. The 4 Days Continuation of this Great Sale, in Mostly by Request.

It Has Been a Great Benefit Sale

To the Public, and they all know it. Sale Commences the following Day, Wednesday after New Year's Day. Store opens 8:30 a. m., instead of 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, Jan. 2 .- Thursday, Jan. 3 .- Friday, Jan. 4 .- Saturday. Jan. 5th last day. Let the News Spread. Let customers show their purchases to their neighbors Let Everybody look over the House-whether they think of buying or not. As usual the rush will go on.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL.

Come Wednesday. 4 Days More.

Domestic Aisle is the 3d Aisle. WE ARE DETERMINED TO CROWD RELISH TO THIS SALE,

SEE WHAT WE DO.

Brown muslin sheeting, full yard wide, splendid quality.

4 CENTS A YARD.

Fine Bleached Muslin, full yard wide,
5½ CENTS A YARD.

50 Pieces of splendid White Shaker
Flannel, 4 CENTS A YARD.

10 pieces of all wool, Fine Quality, Assabet Flannel, in value 50 cents. They come in Red and Black, and Blue and Black Checks.

28 CENTS A YARD.

50 pieces 36-inch wide fine Percales in Fine Dress Designs, 10 cent Percales. They will go with a limit of 10 yards, only

VERY IMPORTANT TO THE LADIES. Special Kid Glove sale before Stock-

Dress Goods and Silks. INTENSE INTEREST- FOUR DAYS

MORE.

The 10c., the 17c., the 18c., the 13c., the 32c., the 29c., the 48c., the 52c., the 62½c., and the 29c. counters in Center Aiste will run four days more. You cannot beat them. You cannot the them.

The 75c, ellk table, which was a great surprise to all comers, consisting of all kinds of silk from 11.50 to \$2.55 will be sweetened with 50 more pieces not in last week's sale. Many lovely Evening Silks go on this table. Wednesday morning. Remember only 75 CENTS A YARD. The knock-down and drag-out prices in the Shoe Department four days more. The famous 38c., the \$1.20, the \$1.55, the \$2.00.

Great slaughter in the prices of our Ladies' and Misses' Jersy and Woolen Gloves and Mitts to close out before inventory.

Clothing, Underwear, Days

WALKER BROS. & FYLER CO.

mark in fiction, and he was oppressed with the idea that men who wrote books must be making a pretty poor living of it. Furthermore, he had never heard of Stevenson and had never seen one of his books. He was one of the men whom you would like to drop into the middle of the "New Arabian Nights" and watch him try to make sense out of what he was reading. Anyway he had the sense of his kind to drive a shrewd bargain when he was asked to give a charterparty of the Casco. The hire must be all paid into bank beforehand; there must be no loop-hole for bottomry in This plan was reluctantly laid aside by reason of the incomprehensibility to any South Sea audience of Stevenson's lectures. In place of this scheme they engaged a trading schooner to take them a trip through the Line islands. Then for the first time Stevenson learned to look with respect upon a cockroach, for he met with experiences, as every one must who

I was present at the ceremony when Equator.

But the dry weather came, and it is not a pleasant season in the Hawaiian islands. Then, too, Stevense'un had not yet seen all the South Seas, but only a little stretch of its eastern edge. He wanted more. Then it was he formed the scheme of taking a great moral show through the islands. This plan he essayed to carry out with the assistance of Osborne and Strong. It centred around a stereopticon, which Strong was to manage; a lecture based on the slides they were able to collect, a feature of the entertainment which Stevenson fancied came in his own line, and a general supervision of the whole affair, which was to be Osborne's share in the entertainment. This plan was reluctantly laid aside by reason of the incomprehensibility.

it was anything but a chronic habit attaching to the man's whole life, says the Philadelphia Press. It is a habit, but it is a habit of the stage, and it bothers Mr. Drew nowhere else.

blood, haughtily, "has an income of \$8

months, and it is therefore almost a certainty that he perished in the "flood of waters."

Not only do these calculations point to the probable cause of the death of Methuselah, but they also furnish an explanation for the silence of the sacred narrative regarding his life, for the verses immediately succeeding those already quoted are to the effect that the people of the earth water dethose already quoted are to the effect that the people of the earth were destroyed because of their corruption, and we are thus driven to the conclusion that the gray hairs of Methuselah had not grown gray in the cause of righteousness, and that, therefore, there was nothing good to be written concerning him such as was written of his godly father Enoch or of his righteous descendant Noah.

PREPARING TO STAR.

She-I want a complimentary ticket.

Equator.

Landing in Samon to Abide.

This cruise ended in Apia, and there in Samon the Stevenson family have lived ever since. Once in our talks about the South Sea Mr. Stevenson asked if there were any place times."—Chicago Evening Post.

Ticket Seller—Do you belong to the profession?

She—I am not precisely an actress, but I've been divorced six times, and I'm going to sue one of the Astorbilks er's income is nearly \$3 a day, and there in Samon the Stevenson family have been fully \$3.0 by this talks about the South Sea Mr. Stevenson asked if there were any place times."—Chicago Evening Post.

DAV'D ECCLES.

CEO. E. ROMNEY. The Pacific Lumber Co..

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Dealers in all kinds of Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Flooring, Rustic Shingles, Lath, Pickets, Combination Fencing, and Every Kind of Building Material. . . Sole Agents for the Wonderful Money - Saving Ceometrical Wood Carving Machine. All Kinds of COAL a Specialty.

GEO. EARNEST ROMNEY.

TORE THE LETTER IN PIECES.